26. West 24th Street

New York. Wednesday Morng.

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My Dear Garrison,

I should have written you a line or two yesterday, but that I was enjoying the whole of the day in being talking with friends

I went early to the Anti-Slavery Office that I might have some chat with Mr Johnson and I enjoyed the opportunity. Then there came in a succession of friends including Miss Anthony, P. Pillsbury

a Clergyman from Lynn. The
other Tilton & Wendell &c &c.
I had then to call upon Mrs
Fremont who if the day had
been fine wd have taken
me a drive to see the "lions"
of the city but the snow prev.
Visited her from carrying out
her project & I sat down &
conversed with her till Lake
to the afternoon. On my re-
turn here I was visited by
Dr. Stanton who remained with
me till dinner time & the
rest of the evening was given
to my kind hosts.

On monday morning I was
brought from the 26th Avenue
Hotel - which was full and
overflowing - to my present ab-
ode which is the House of
Mr Frances Maniere who
is Provost Marshall of this
district - has been a member
of the N.Y. Legislature and
is one of the U.N.R. Union
who brought me to the city.

The meeting in the Cooper Ins:
is pronounced a success. It
was not as crowded as it might
have been but Mrs Stanton
spoke highly of it and said
it was "a fine audience,

composed of the governing class
of the country. My speech ap-
pears to have given satisfaction.
I am to be with Mrs Grant
again at five o'clock to day,
when she will take me out.
I dine at her house this even-
ing. Tomorrow I shall leave for
Boston, via Springfield & Worces.
Jct, & hope to arrive about 4.
P. M. I shall come to your house.
Try to be at home early
Ever, my dear Jessie,
In love and ecstasy, Yours,

Geo Thompson

I am going down to the A. S
Office.